Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 04 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 05 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Sunday 03 Apr 2022 at 16:28

Confidence: High confidence for a wet and cloudy couple of days. Low confidence for detail of precipitation on Thursday and Friday.

Headline for Monday 04 Apr 2022: Persistent low cloud with heavy rain gradually turning lighter.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 04 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Medium Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Fog	Light rain	Fog	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
40%	70%	90%	60%	50%	50%	40%	40%

Forecast for Monday 04 Apr 2022

Weather: Outbreaks of heavy rain soon arriving in the early hours and continuing through the first half of the morning. The heaviest and most persistent rain likely on western slopes. The main band of rain clears off during the second half of the morning; however it remains a cloudy, blustery and damp day, with drizzle and further spells of rain, these still potentially heavy at times.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30% through the entire day.

Low cloud and visibility: Poor visibility on the hills throughout the day with cloud consistently at 250-350m, possibly lower on western slopes. Visibility turning very poor in any heavy rain, even at low levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	22/32 SW	24/34 SW	20/29 W	19/26 W	20/28 NW	20/29 NW	21/29 W	21/30 NW	20/29 W
300	14/29 SW	15/31 SW	12/26 W	12/24 W	13/25 W	13/26 W	12/25 W	13/26 W	12/25 W
Valley	12/27 W	13/30 SW	12/26 W	12/24 W	12/25 W	12/25 W	11/24 W	12/25 W	12/25 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	2/-4	3/-3	5/0	7/2	8/4	8/4	8/4	7/3	7/2
300	4/0	5/1	7/3	8/6	10/7	10/8	10/7	9/6	8/5
Valley	5/2	6/2	7/4	9/6	10/8	11/9	10/8	10/7	9/6
Freezing Level*	900m	1900m	2100m	2200m	2200m	2200m	2200m	2100m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Conditions will be very difficult on the slopes with poor visibility and heavy rain. Secure footwear and adequate waterproofs will be a necessity if going out.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Sun 03 Apr 2022	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Tuesday 05 Apr 2022

Weather: Another wet start on Tuesday with further outbreaks of rain and drizzle. Initially driest in the east and then turning drier more widely later in the morning. Remaining rather cloudy, though some bright or even sunny spells may develop in the afternoon. However, another band of cloud will cross the park during the evening, bringing further spells of mainly light rain.

Maximum wind: 30mph westerly winds on the summits with gusts of 40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% to begin, improving to 60% in the afternoon, falling to 40% in the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Poor visibility on hills in the morning with cloud at 300-400m, lower on western slopes. Very poor in any drizzle and rain. Cloud lifting to 800m for the afternoon, still lower at times on western upslopes, but allowing for some periods of good visibility. Visibility reducing again in the evening as cloud lowers again to 400-500m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9 Celsius rising to plus 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 3 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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